METHOD OF INTEGRATING A PERSONAL COMPUTING SYSTEM AND APPARATUS THEREOF

Abstract of the Disclosure

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A method of integrating a personal computing system and apparatus thereof include processing that begins by integrating a central processing unit with a North bridge on a single substrate such that the central processing unit is directly coupled to the North bridge via an internal bus. The processing then continues by providing memory access requests from the central processing unit to the North bridge at a rate of the central processing unit. The processing continues by having the North bridge buffer the memory access request and subsequently process the memory access requests at a rate of the memory. The method may be expanded by integrating a South bridge onto the same substrate as well as integrating system memory onto the same substrate.